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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 2009 Meeting

- Please note that the January general meeting is on January 1, 2009 New Year's Day.
- With Joe moving to Vice President there is a vacancy on the Executive Council. As it stands, Roger moves up from the alternate slot and a new alternate is needed. Please let us know if you have any interest in this role.

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

The Christmas dinner was held in lieu of the general meeting.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

- The TRC Christmas dinner was held December 4th at Captain George's. Approximately 40 members and guests attended a bountiful feast and good time.
- Mike Purcell received the 2008 Man of the Year. He was recognized for his help with the club's events, public relations at the Oceana Airshow, volunteering whenever asked including mowing the field grass, and even more importantly volunteering to clean out the porta-potty.

Russ, Mike, and Mark

- Mark Ward recognized Jennifer Batte and Samantha Spoor for assisting with the Warbird over Wildhorse event including their efforts in selling a large number of tickets for a successful raffle.

Mark, Samantha, and Jennifer

Christmas Dinner Pictures

Rich and Tamara

Art, Fred, Gail, and Cindy

Jill, Jennifer, Bobby, and Samantha

Jodi, Mike, Pert, and Andy

Rich, Tom, and Tamara

Scott

Frank and Jim

Fred, Richard, and Betty

Russ

Mark and Terry

Karl

Bill and Kim

Field Action

Chuck's P-40

Joe's QQ YAK 54

Pert's F-4 Phantom

Pert's Pitts S-2B

Rich's electric T-28 Trojan

Scott's 25% Fokker D-7

Tidewater RC YouTube Video Channel

http://www.youtube.com/user/TidewaterRC

2009 TRC EVENTS

January 1	General Meeting (New Year's Day)
February 5	General Meeting/Auction
February 28	2009 Annual dues due!

2009 TIDEWATER AREA RC EVENTS

February 7 NNPRC 5th Annual Swap Shop & Static Show
http://www.treystoneinc.com/NNPRCC/pdf%20files/SWAPMeet-09-3.pdf

LOCAL AMA CLUBS

BAGS	Bay Area Giant Scalers
CFRC	Chesapeake Flyers Radio Control
CVA	Colonial Virginia Aeromodelers
HRRC	Hampton Roads Radio Control
IOW	Isle of Wright
NNPRC	Newport News Park Radio Control
TMSS	Tidewater Model Soaring society

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Directions to General Meeting

Meetings start at 7:30 PM the first Thursday of each month at the VFW Post 4809 located at 5728 Bartee Street in Norfolk. From Interstate 264, take the Military Highway exit heading north in the direction of Military Circle mall. Take the first right at the light after the exit and then the first left. The VFW is just behind the Toys 'R' Us store on the left side of the road.

Directions to Wildhorse Field

From I-64 in Chesapeake, take 104/17 (George Washington Hwy) south to mile marker 3.6. Turn left onto Ballahack Rd. Go approximately 1.0 miles. Turn left at the TRC sign onto the dirt farm road. The flying field is one mile down the farm road on the right. Please observe our 15 MPH speed limit.

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